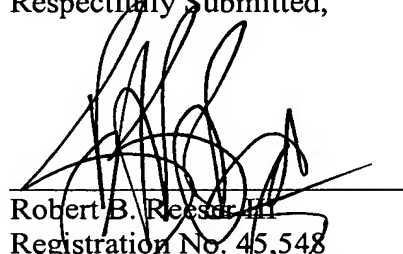


Remarks

Please enter the foregoing preliminary amendment prior to examination of the present application. Claims 1-20 are now pending in this application. Applicant respectfully submits that this Amendment adds no new matter.

Respectfully Submitted,

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IN THE DRAWINGS:

Applicants respectfully request approval of the following drawing changes. Figures 2 and 4 are being amended to change label "T23" to label "T2" and labels "T25" to T23" in accordance with the specification. Applicant hereby submits an "Annotated Copy" of Figures 2 and 4 showing the requested change in red permanent ink, and a "Replacement Sheet" incorporating the changes to Figures 2 and 4. No new matter has been added.



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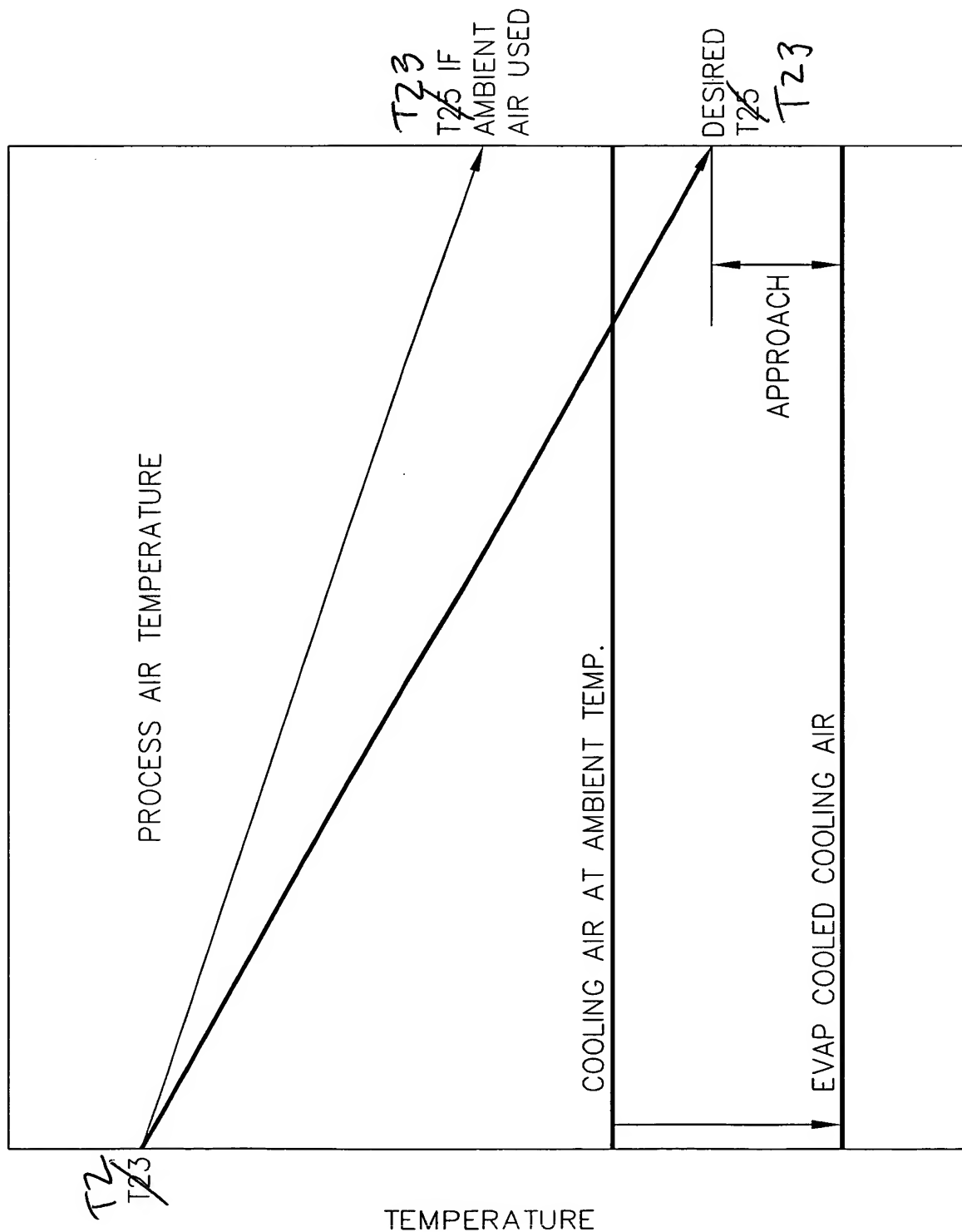


FIG. 2

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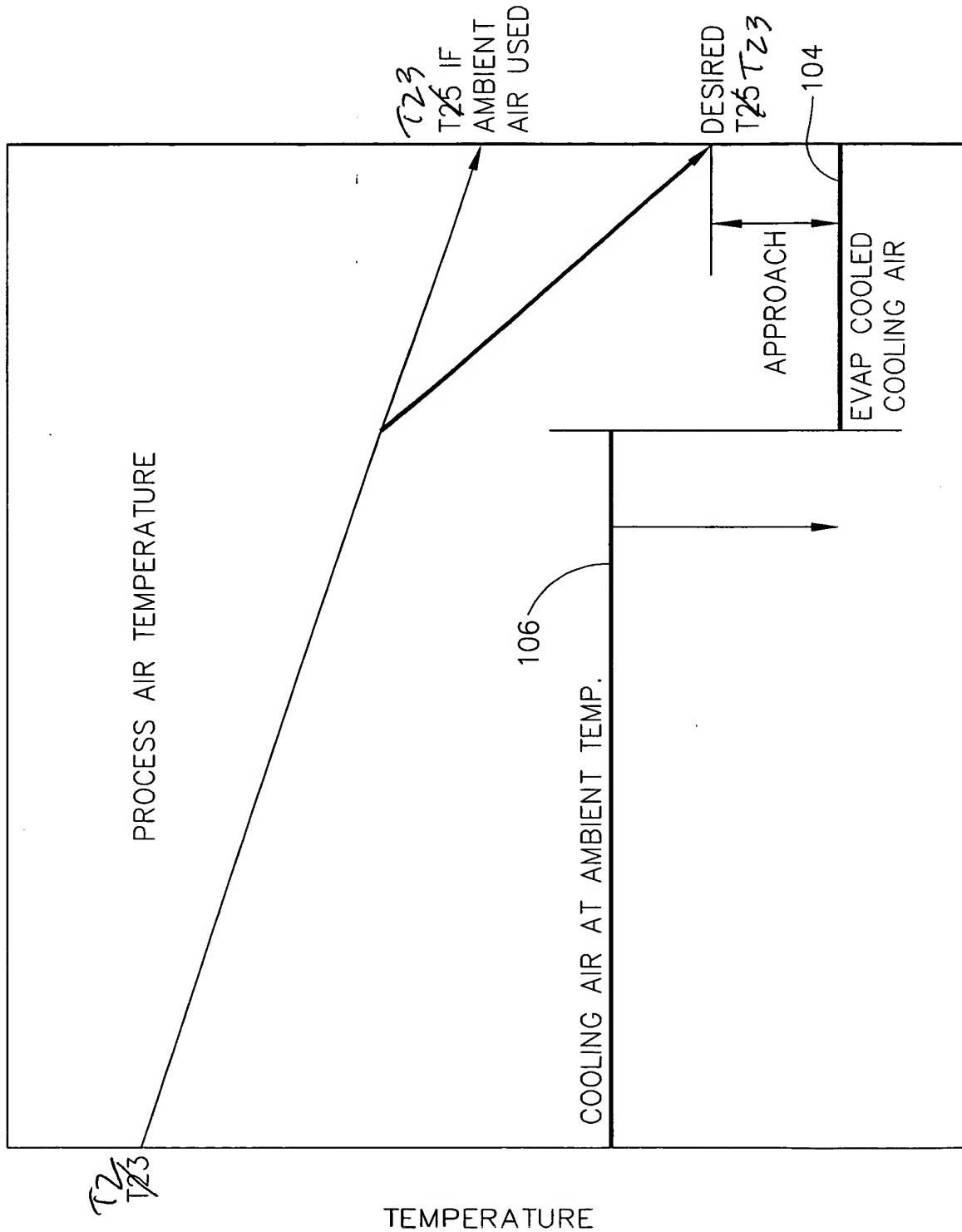


FIG. 4 DISTANCE ALONG HEAT EXCHANGER TUBE